## Alexandria Gazette

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 23.

HOW MR. BEECHER MAKES HIS SERMONS -"I thought I had in my pocket," said Mr. Beecher, at the opening of his talk at Plymouth Church prayermeeting Friday night, 'a letter from a lady, asking me whether God did not hide his face sometimes from His people for His people's good. In one sense of the term that may be true; but in a general sense I think it is not.' Mr. Beecher then explained at some length why so many problems of mental philsophy come up for practical solution in the experience of Christians and churches. He showed that the cestatic state of mind was obtained by training, and an education of the soul that could never be dispensed with. In Mme. Guion's experience there was much tribulation; she was released from that body of death, her husband, and went through many struggles before she reached that ecstatic state with which her name was associated. He then referred to the impediments that persons voluntarily place in their way toward advancement in spiritual life. Among these was the pertaking of injudicious food. 'More' than two third of the people eat too much, cat at wrong times and eat wrong things, said Mr. Beecher. 'We should live by rule and in accordance with what we had to do. For more than forty years I have done this. I cannot afford to indulge my imagination very largely. I cannot exhaust myself by going into company, Saturday comes and I have my Sunday before me. I have just to get and keep my body in that state by which my mind is kept clear and active, and so that it will work in the best way, and that is the way I make my sermons. What is the use of springing up your nerves with strong green tea? Suppose a man swills all night he deserves to have blue devils the next ingnt ne deserves to have blue devis the near-norning. Then to keep this spiritual percep-tion active you must get rid of morbid ideas. This everlasting dwelling on one though, and that about yourself, is a mistake. A man can make a dyspeptic of himself very soon if he will only think of what is going on in his stomach after he had partaken of a good meal. Then some men go about as if they thought themselves infinite sneaks. The characteristic of a Christian is cheerfulness, hopefulness and goodness. No, God never withdraws His face. The sun never forgets to rise. You may, as this morning, not be able to see it, but it was because there was a cloud between the earth and it."—N. N. Herald.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 13th day of April, 1877. John Saunders ys. Emanuel Francis and Julia Ann Francis his wife, John R. Pierpoint, J. Edwin Pierpoint, William D. Edson, Sarah Saunders, Daniel Sutter, Charles M. Sutter, Sallie Saunders, William Saunders, Albert Saunders, Charles Saunders and Hannah Saunders his wife, John P. Townsend and Mary S. Townsend his wife, Saran Saunders, Mary S. Townsend his wife, Saran Saunders, Samuel G. Saunders, Joseph Saunders and Mary P. Saunders his wife, Mary F. Saunders, John H. Saunders, J. Douglass Saunders and his wife, whose name is unknown, Lucy Saunders, Joseph C. Talbot, Richard L. Talbot, John S. Talbot and Charles H. Talbot, Allen S. Talbot and Charles H. Talbot. bot, John S. Talbot and Charles H. Talbot (of whom Charles M. Sutter, William Saunders, Albert Saunders, Sarah Saunders and her brother Samuel E. Saunders, John Talbott and Charlos H. Talbott are infants under the age of twenty-one years.) In chancery. Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a

decree for the partition in kind or sale of the real estate in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, of which Mary Wanton died seized, and the distribution of the precede of sale (if sold) amongst the parties entitled thereto in proportion to their respective rights therein.

The defendants, William D. Edson, Sarah Saunders, Daniel Sutter, Charles M. Sutter, Sallie Saunders, William Saunders, Albert Saunders, Charles Saunders and Hannah Saund-Saunders, Charles Saunders and Hannah Saunders his wife, John P. Townsend and Mary S. Townsend his wife, Sarah Saunders and her brother Samuel G. Saunders, Joseph Saunders and Mary P. Saunders his wife, Mary F. Saunders, John H. Saunders, J. Douglass Saunders and his wife, (whose name is unknown) Lucy Saunders, Joseph C. Talbot, Richard L. Tabot, John S. Talbot and Charles H. Talbot. John S. Talbot and Charles H. Talbot not having entered their appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that they are not residents of this State, it is ordered that the said defendants appear here within an amount hefer the fendants appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.
MORTON MARYE, Clerk.

Albert Stuart, p. q. VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 13th day of April, 1877.

John Saunders vs. William D. Edson, Sarah

Saunders, Daniel Sutter, Charles M. Sutter, Sallie Saunders, William Saunders, Albert Saunders, Charles Saunders and Hannah Saunders his wife, John P. Townsend and Mary S. Townsend his wife, Sarah Saunders and her brother Samuel G. Sameters, Joseph Saunders and Mary P. Saunders his wife, Mary F. Saunders, John H. Saunders, J. Deuglas Saunders and his wife, (whose name is unknown) Lucy Saunders, Joseph C. Talbett, Richard L. Talbott, John S. Talbott and Charles H. Talbott, (of whom Charles M. Sutter, William Saunders. Albert Saunders, Sarah Saunders and her brother Samuel G. Saunders, John Talbott and Charles H. Talbott are infants under the age of twenty-one

years.) In chancery. Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for the partition in kind or sale of the real estate in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, of which John Saunders died seized, and the distribution of the proceeds of sale (if sold) amongst the parties entitled thereto in proportion to their respective rights therein.

The defendants not having entered their appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by adidavit that they are not residents of this State, it is ordered that the said defendants appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their crest in this suit: and that a conv of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexdria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city. A copy, test:
MORTON MARYE, Clerk.

Albert Stuart, p q ap 13-w4w

VIRGINIA, to wit: In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, April 5, 1877. J. E. Birch against James W. Anderson and Mary Anderson, his wife, and James Anderson, executor of George Miner, deceased,

defendants. In chancery.

Mem. The object of this suit is to enforce the lien of plaintiff's judgment against James Anderson, executor of George Miner, on real estate of the said Goorge Miner, deceased, in the coun-It appearing by affidavit filed that the said

defendants are non residents of this State, it is ordered that they appear within one month after due publication hereof, and do what is necessary to protect their interests. A copy, teste:
F. D. RICHARDSON, Clerk. Moore, p. q.

VIRGINIA, to wit: In the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, March 20th, 1877. George Broomfield vs. Thomas W. Payne, adm'r., Zophaniah Euckley, Wesley Caton and Miltred his wife, Margaret Berdseye, Annanias Buck-ley, Jane Wapoole and others, defendants. In

chancery.

Mem. The object of this suit is to enforce a specific performance of a certain contract entered into by intestate Zeph Buckley and complainant, and to obtain a deed for the tract of land

set forth in said contract. It appearing by allinavit filed that the above named defendants, Wesley Caten and Mildred bis wife, Margaret Berdseye and Jane Wapcole, are non residents of this State, it is ordered that they appear within one month after due publi cation hereof, and do what is necessary to pro-

Moore, p. q.

VIRGINIA, to wit: In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, April 5, 1877. Thomas Moore, substituted trusten, against William T. Allen, L. F. Allen, Sydney Bruin and others, defendants.

Mem. The object of this suit is to enforce the

terms of a deed of trust executed by William T. Allen to Louis S. Pritchartt, bearing date the 9th of July, 1857, and to obtain a settlement of oth of July, 1857, and to obtain a settlement of the accounts of the several trustees under the Smoking and Chewing Tobacco, said deed of trust.

It appearing by affidavit filed that the above named defendants are non residents of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that they appear within one month after due publication hereof, and do what is necessary to protect their interests. A copy, teste: F. D. RICHARDSON, Clerk.

sp 7-w4w Moore, p. q. VIRGINIA, to wit: In the Circuit Court of V Fairfax county, March 20th, 1877. Peter Campbell and such other creditors of John J. Shipman who may come in and contribute to he costs of this suit, against John J. Shipman, Priscilla J. Shipman and Josoph A. Rice, trus-

tee, defendants. In chancery.

Mem. The object of this suit is to declare null and void the deed executed by John J. Ship. man to Joseph A. Rice in trust for Priscilla J. Shipman, and to set aside the deed from Joseph A. Rice to the said Priscills. J. Shipman, both deeds dated the 29th of April, 1876, and recorded in the land records of Fairfax county in liber U. No. 4, both deeds being fraudulent as to credit-

> It appearing by affidavit filed that the defend-ant, Joseph A. Rice, trustee, is a non resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he appear within one month after due publication hereof, and do what is necessary to protect his interest. A copy—teste. F. D. RICHARDSON, Clerk.

Thomas & Wells, p. q. mh 20-w4w VIRGINIA, to wit: In the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, March 20th, 1877. C. M. Castleman against Andrew Wyley. In chanc'y. Mem. The object of this suit is to enforce the lien of plaintiff's judgment against the defendant on the real estate of the said defendant, in the county of Fairfax.

defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he appear within one month after due publication hereof, and do what is necessary to protect his interest. A copy—test. F. D. RICHARDSON, Clerk. Thomas R. Love, p. q. mh 20-w4w

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